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ADVANCE DIVISION

OF THE GERMANS WIPED OUT BY THE FRENCH.

TO EVACUATE GALACIA

Austrians Are Preparing to Leave Capital—Russians Admit Disaster of Two Army Corps.

(By American Press.)

London, Sept. 2.—Advices have been received from St. Petersburg that the Russian general staff confesses to disaster of two army corps, including the loss of three generals.

Austrians preparing to evecuate the capital of Galacia.

German advance division is wiped out by French.

While the whole world is awaiting definite news from the battle line, the French war office contents itself with the simple statement that, as a result of the turning movement of the German army, and in order not to accept battle under unfavorable conditions, the French troops again have retired.

From the British capital no word is forthcoming regarding what are considered the most momentous operations of the war. While Berlin claims a German victory over the Russians in East Prussia in the capture of 70,000 men, the Russians claim an important victory over the Austrians on the Galicia side with 30,000 prisoners.

Another German aeroplane has been dropping bombs into Paris, and according to the French official statement the American ambassador has organized a committee and has sent a protest against this method of warfare to the government at Washington.

The Belgian special commission on its way to the United States to protest against alleged German atrocities, has been received by King George and has presented him with an address setting forth some of the happenings in Belgium during the present campaign and has warmly thanked Great Britain for its intervention.

Paris, Sept. 2.—The following official statement was issued by the war office:

"On our left wing as a result of the turning movement of the German army and in order not to accept battle under unfavorable conditions, our troops retired toward the south and southwest. In the region of Rethel our forces have arrested the enemy momentarily. In the center and on the right the situation remains unchanged."

The position of the allied armies, according to the opinion of French military experts, is good. The Germans, it is pointed out, are attempting a movement which, if it fails, will leave them in a dangerous situation, with their troops exhausted.

The British army, fresh and rested, the experts say, is about to engage the extreme German right and to support the French, who have been retiring slowly for several days.

The Germans are fortifying the environs of Brussels and they have transformed the cemetery into a redoubt.

Russ Victory Brilliant.

A Rome dispatch to the Temps says the Russian victory over the Austrians on the Galician side was brilliant, the right wing of the Austrian army having been decisively turned and cut to pieces, leaving 30,000 prisoners in the hands of the victors.

On the Vistula front when the Russians encountered the Austrian left wing the result was somewhat uncertain, but the arrival of important reinforcements enabled the Russians to take a vigorous offensive and repulse the enemy. They captured a large number of pieces of artillery.

The Russians, the dispatch adds, executed many bayonet charges against the Austrians, which had a large share in deciding the issue of the battle. Elsewhere the Germans, endeavoring to effect a junction with the Austrians, sought to meet the Russian attack with a counter attack offensive, but were repulsed with losses.

Austrian Defeat Colossal.

London, Sept. 2.—The Central News publishes a dispatch from Rome saying telegrams received there from Bucharest, Roumania, declare that the Austrian defeat in Galicia was colossal. Trains are transporting tens of thousands of wounded; many Austrian regiments have been destroyed.

The Westminster Gazette publishes a dispatch from Gothenburg, Sweden, saying that the Wilson line steamer Oscar has arrived there from Hull and reports having heard heavy cannonading as it passed through the Skager-Rak, the waterway between northern Denmark and Norway.

PROF. MOORE HERE.

Former Normal Teacher Visiting Old Friends and Attending Fair.

Prof. V. I. Moore, principal of the Arlington Military academy at Arlington, Texas, arrived in Maryville this morning for a short visit with old friends. Mr. Moore has been advance booking agent for the Vawter Chautauqua system during the summer, and is now on his way home to begin his school work.

THOMAS Q. BURNS DEAD.

Nodaway County Resident Dies Yesterday Afternoon at Rochester.

Word was received by relatives here of the death of Thomas Q. Burns yesterday afternoon at Rochester, Minn., where he had gone for treatment. Mr. Burns was accompanied to Rochester by his wife and his daughter, Mrs. Tom Davis, living near Arkoe.

No further word as to the time of the arrival of the body in Maryville has been received.

Mr. Burns was quite aged and had been in very poor health for some time. He leaves beside his wife, three daughters, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Thomas Farrell of near Orrsburg, and one daughter living in Chicago.

SITUATION ABOUT THE SAME.

No Rise in River Owing to the Rains—Sandpoint System Progressing—Water Getting Low.

The water situation today is about the same. While all-day service is being had, still there will have to be some improvement before the service can continue much longer. Yesterday there was eight inches of water in the reservoir, and today there was only five inches. They pumped an hour and a half at the plant this morning, that being all the water that was coming down the river.

The work on the sandpoint system is still progressing. Three sandpoints had been driven down. It is thought by Friday the system will be ready to use.

The expected rise in the river, owing to the rains around Bedford and Lenox, did not show up today.

Visiting Nodaway Relatives.

Mrs. Will Reardon of Corning, Cal., and her sister, Mrs. George Morin of Cherryvale, Kan., have been visiting in Maryville for a few days with their niece, Miss Ada Morin. Mrs. Reardon will visit at Barnard with her daughter, Mrs. Wilbur Carmichael and Mrs. Morin will visit her son, John Morin, and family of Parnell.

Mrs. R. K. Townsend Here.

Mrs. R. K. Townsend of Oklahoma City, Okla., arrived in Maryville this morning to spend a few weeks visiting at the home of E. L. Townsend and Ferd Townsend. Mrs. Townsend is en route to her home from a summer's stay in Colorado Springs, Col.

Attending Iowa State Fair.

Harold Bellows left Monday night for Des Moines, Ia., to attend the state fair being held there this week. He will also go to Ames, Ia., to visit former friends at the State Agricultural college before returning home.

Spent Day in Maryville.

Mrs. Will Enis and Miss Jennie Vardie of Clyde spent yesterday visiting friends in this city.

HORSE WINNERS

OF THE SHOW HELD THIS MORNING AT THE FAIR.

POULTRY PRIZES GIVEN

E. L. Andrews, Charles Viles, W. H. Crawford, M. C. Thompson and John Gross Won the $25 Prize.

The horse show at the county fair this morning was a great success and many people witnessed it. Draft horses were exhibited, and there were a number of entries. The winners were:

Ring No. 1—Best draft stallion any breed, 3 years old or over, total amount, $90. First prize, $50; second, $25; third, $15. First, W. A. Burks, Pickering, Mo.; second, Frank Roelofson, Maryville; third, Claude Roelofson, Maryville.

Ring No. 2—Best draft mare or gelding, 3 years old or over, total amount, $35. First, $20; second, $10; third, $5 First, E. S. Culver, King City, Mo.; second, Harold Bellows, Maryville; third, Charles Gallagher, Maryville.

Ring No. 3—Best draft team of mares or geldings 3 years old or over, total, $45. First, $25; second, $15; third, $5. First E. S. Culver, King City; second, Harold Bellows, Maryville; third, Charles Gallagher, Maryville.

Ring No. 4—Best all-purpose team, mares or geldings, 3 years old or over, total, $45. First, $25; second, $15; third, $5. First, Will Dempsey, Maryville; second, Harve Cockayne, Maryville; third, Fletcher Dalby, Maryville.

Ring No. 5—Best pure-bred weanling draft colt (grade colts eligible), total, $17.50. First, $10; second, $5; third, $2.50. First, I. E. Miller, Pickering; second, W. W. Andrews, Maryville; third, J. W. Moss, Ravenwood.

Ring No. 6—Best grade weanling draft colt (pure breds not eligible), total, $17.50. First, $10; second, $5; third, $2.50. First I. E. Miller, Pickering; second, W. W. Andrews, Maryville; third, Homer Lyle, Maryville.

Winners in Chicken Show.

S. C. White Orpingtons—E. L. Andrews, first; G. B. Holmes, second.

Buff Orpingtons—D. E. McDonald, first; Mrs. N. J. Vickery, Arkoe, second.

S. C. Rhode Island Reds—Charles Viles, first; K. Hempstead, second.

Buff Wyandottes—W. H. Crawford & Son, first; J. H. Sayler, second.

Silver Laced Wyandottes—Claude Glass, first.

Barred Rocks—M. C. Thompson, first; Cecil Smith, second.

White Rocks—O. A. Bennett, first; Eugene Yehle, second.

Buff Rocks—F. P. Robinson, first.

White Leghorns, rose comb—John Gross, first and second.

S. C. White Leghorns—O. L. Robey.

Light Brahmas—Frank Roelofson, first.

Pekin ducks—E. L. Andrews, first.

Bronze turkeys—Wm. Golding, first.

Belgian hares—Carl Yowell, first.

Pigeons—Willie Foster, first and second.

The special prize offered by the Real Estate bank of $25 was won by E. L. Andrews, Charles Viles, W. H. Crawford & Son, M. C. Thompson and John Gross.

Kansas Visitors Here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Thornhill of Peru, Kan., returned last night from a visit with relatives and will spend the remainder of the week visiting in the city with Mr. Thornhill's brother and sister, Judge John Thornhill and Mrs. Calista Dawson, and families.

BIG CROWD TODAY

AT THE COUNTY FAIR TO WITNESS THE EVENTS.

THE FLIGHTS A SUCCESS

Worden Made One This Morning and Two Yesterday Afternoon—Evening Program at the Fair.

Tonight's Program.

8:00—Fireworks by "Fearless" Blondin, and also wire walking act by Blondin.

10.00—High dive by C. A. Bigley.

Thursday's Program.

9:30—Horse show; cattle show.

10:30—Monoplane flight by Worden.

Afternoon—

1:30—Races.

2:00—Monoplane flight.

4:00—Balloon ascension by Phelps.

5:00—Monoplane flight.

The fair was well attended today, and everything is being pulled off on schedule time.

J. Hector Worden made a flight in his monoplane at 10:30 this morning, and the other free attractions were given.

No evening's program was given at the fair last evening. The fireworks was postponed on account of the rain and the high dive was put off. They will be given this evening, sure, and a charge of 25 cents will be made at the gate for the night show. Season tickets will be good at the night show.

Captain J. H. Worden is certainly making good with the Maryville people. He goes up on the dot each time, and each flight has been a perfect example of the practicability of the aeroplane. It made one feel a little creepy to think of the possibilities which the birdman had in his power as he sailed gracefully over the grounds time and again, and to think of the ease with which he could have dropped several bombs at any point desired during the flights.

The grace and ease with which the powerful machine is manipulated is a subject of common remark. "Why, that looks so easy that I believe I could do that," said one of the spectators.

During the first flight yesterday afternoon, Captain Worden said that a few miles to the south and east of Maryville he encountered a heavy rain storm, which he said made going a little hard.

At 5 o'clock, the time for the third flight, the wind had begun to rise, but promptly on time the machine rose from its hangar, and for twenty minutes flew in circles and straight-aways over the fair grounds. The close of the flight was marked by a long detour to the east and a gradual dip to the ground. The light was perfect. When within a few feet of the ground the machine raised slightly and skimmed along the surface of the meadow, until it came to a stop a short distance in front of the hangar.

Captain Worden, when interviewed after the flight, said that the upper air currents were particularly baffling on the last trip. "But," said Captain Worden, "if it weren't for some of the hard things mixed in with the easy, there would be no reason why every one could not fly."

The balloon did not ascend yesterday afternoon, as the high wind prevented the filling of the big gas bag. Plin E. Phelps and his assistant stayed on the grounds until nearly dark, however, hoping that the wind would abate sufficiently for them to make the ascension.

78 BABIES AT THE SHOW.

One Big Success—Judgment to Be Made This Afternoon.

It is pretty evident that there is nothing wrong with the baby show, and that it is one big success. There are 78 babies, every one a mother's darling and deserving a big blue ribbon, entered for the show this afternoon. This 78 includes 72 singles and three doubles, or 72 babies and three sets of twins, whichever way it should be said.

The judges are Mrs. Anna M. Hagins, Mrs. O. C. Hanna and Dr. Will Wallis, Jr.

TODAY'S RACING WINNERS

At the time of going to press, one heat had been run in the 2:15 pace at the races at the county fair. Hallie Phelps was first, owner J. Phelps of Fayette; A. G. Wiley, second, owner V. L. Ambrose of Sheridan; Little Gene, third, owner Bod Connor. The time was 2:16.

The first heat in the 2:20 trot was won by Catherine Wiley, owner V. L. Ambrose of Sheridan; Tasko, second, owner Ole Rowe of Fayette; Joe Frazier, third. Time, 2.25.

Tomorrow's Races.

Tomorrow is derby day at the races at the county fair, and many good races will be had.

In the 2:15 trot for a purse of $300, the horses entered are Red View, Roscoe Medium, Grayson Rex and Darius.

The second race is three-fourths of a mile running, and the horses entered are Deerfoot, Puck, Ballencer, White Lily and High Jack. The purse is $150.

In the third race, five-eighths of a mile running, the horses will be King Earl, Bess Ward, Lassie Dere, High Jack, Claudine, B. A. Jones.

The fourth race will be the Maryville derby for a purse of $500. The horses entered are Frank Flescher, Waldo, Mintank, Surlon and Miss Sly.

In the four and a half furlongs race for a purse of $100, the horses will be King Earl, Classy Variety, Fay C, Lover's Lane, White Lily and Jean Hoppas.

Yesterday's Races.

The races of yesterday afternoon were a success and time was very good. In the five-eighths mile for a purse of $200, Mintank won, with King Earl second and Miss Sly third. The time was 1:04.

In the 5½ furlongs, Bess Ward was first, Deerfoot second, and Lassie Dere third. Time, 1:12.

The two other races of yesterday afternoon were in Tuesday's paper.

DISTRICT DEPUTY HERE.

Mrs. Loomis Doing Preparatory Work for Big Log Rolling.

Mrs. Helen Loomis of St. Joseph, district deputy for the Woodmen Circle who has been spending the past week in Maryville, returned today from a visit with the Elmo and Stanberry lodges. Mrs. Loomis is visiting all the lodges in the district and making a membership campaign for the Woodmen log rolling to be held here in October.

WON CALF HERD PRIZE.

Bellows Bros. Took First in That Ring at Des Moines, Ia., Fair Yesterday.

Bellows Bros. took first in calf herd ring at the Iowa state fair at Des Moines yesterday. There were nineteen exhibitors. They also won third in the young herd class. Bellows Bros. have a number of their fine Shorthorn cattle in the show at that place.

To Spend Week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Olson of Red Oak, Ia., arrived in the city today to spend the remainder of the week attending the fair and visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Luppold. They were accompanied by their grandson, Stewart Luppold, who has been spending the summer on the Olson farm.

To Visit in Kansas City.

Misses Alice and Elizabeth Merle Ford left this morning for Kansas City to spend a while visiting friends.

TO OPEN MONDAY

THE CITY SCHOOLS WILL COMMENCE THEN.

TEACHERS TO MEET

To Take Up School Matters for the Coming Year—Ward Buildings Improved During Vacation.

The city public schools will open next Monday. Such was the announcement made today by Superintendent W. M. Westbrook.

The teachers of the ward schools will meet with Mr. Westbrook Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock to take up matters for the coming year, and the grade teachers of Central school will meet at 3 o'clock that afternoon. Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock all the teachers will meet at the Central building.

All of the school buildings will be in readiness for the opening after the improvements that were made during the summer. The ward schools were improved some.

Supt. Westbrook announces that there will be kindergarten tables and chairs in the first room of the wards this year.

JOE CRAIG BUYS A VINEYARD.

To Try Grape Farming for a Pastime—Changes Residence.

Joe Craig of San Diego, Cal., writes to The Democrat-Forum today that his address in future is El Cajon, Cal., instead of San Diego, which has been his home for a good many years. He has purchased a vineyard at El Cajon, which is fifteen miles from San Diego, and has moved there. Mr. Craig left the government service in the city and still keeps his business there, going back and forth by train daily.

Mr. Craig left Maryville for southern California about eighteen years ago.

YEAR'S APPLE CROP.

Forecast of Production Bigger Than Last Year.

An apple crop of 210,000,000 bushels is the forecast by the department of agriculture, which bases its estimate on its latest reports. That is about 65,000,000 bushels more than last year, but 25,000,000 less than in 1912, and about 4,000,000 bushels less than in 1911. The mean price to producers in the three months of heavy marketing, September, October and November, last year, was 85.5 cents a bushel. In 1912 it was 62.3 cents and in 1911 it was 69.7 cents.

BALL GAME SUNDAY.

The All Stars Will Play the Atchison, Kan., All Stars at Riffe's Park.

The All Stars will play the Atchison, Kan., All Stars on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Riffe's ball park. The Atchison team accompanied by a number of rooters will come to Maryville in a special car. The batting order and line-up of the Atchison team follows: Koester, cf; Rice, ss; Ellen, 2b; Haas, 3b; Loogran, c; Harras, lf; Sanders, 3b; Vandiver, rf; Couchman, p; A. Clem, sub.

Employed at West Point.

Miss Vernie Aley will leave Friday for Omaha, to spend a few days, after which she will go to West Point, Neb., where she has a position in a millinery store.

Attending Fair.

Among the visitors at the county fair today are Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Vert of Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Trosper, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Robertson and I. D. Carter of Burlington Junction, Robert Riley of Conception Junction and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Montgomery and family of Hopkins.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Thursday; cooler tonight.

BANKS CLOSED

All the Banks of the City will be closed tomorrow afternoon from 1:00 o'clock for the remainder of the day on account of the County Fair.

Nodaway Valley Bank
Real Estate Bank
Farmers Trust Company
First National Bank

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Announce Birth of Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wiley, living near Pickering, announce the birth of a daughter this morning.

Visitors From Maitland.

Mrs. Wallace Hardin and son of Maitland were visitors in Maryville yesterday.

Visiting In Kansas.

Miss Maude Owen left yesterday for Republic, Kan., to spend a couple of weeks visiting relatives.

For Sale—Good square eating at the county fair by the City Federation.

Pleads Guilty.

Theodore Liros, charged with fighting yesterday, and who plead not guilty at the time of his arrest, has changed his decision. He plead guilty to the charge today and was fined $1 and costs amounting to $7.35.

Get your meals at the Federation lunch tent at the county fair.

Marriage Licenses.

Clarence F. Summers, Stanberry.
Phena Potts, Guilford.
Jacob A. Shelman, Parnell.
Pearl Garrord, Sheridan.

Marriage Licenses.

James A. Rice.....St. Joseph
Nellie H. Rice.....Benton, Ia.
Clyde R. Hilton.....Randolph, Ia.
Elenora K. Slider.....Elmo

Don't bother bringing lunch to the county fair. We serve better ones. Come to the Federation lunch stand.

Miss Catherine Brady of Plattsburg is visiting in Maryville this week, the guest of Misses Elizabeth and Margaret Heffern.

Miss Coletha Linneman of Clyde came to Maryville today to spend a few days visiting her aunt, Mrs. Anna Miller and family.

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EFFORT AND REWARD

It is a fundamental law of nature that reward comes in direct ratio to effort.

Man would accomplish very little in this world if things were given to him. As it is, most men work just for the necessities of life—they never think of the future or even try to provide for their own comfort, when old age shall at last cut off their earning power, as it surely will.

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RENE VIVIANI.

President of the French Cabinet Reorganizes Body On Account of War Crisis.

CHARGE GERMANS BURY MEN ALIVE

Specific Instances Given by Belgian Commission.

London, Sept. 2.—At the reception by King George at Buckingham palace of the Belgian mission, which is on its way to the United States to protest against alleged German atrocities in the war zone, an address to the king was read, setting forth some of the happenings in the present campaign and thanking the king for Great Britain's aid.

The address referred to King George's message to King Albert and the co-operation of the British land and sea forces.

"This," continued the address, "brought renewed gratitude and strengthened still further the determination of the Belgian nation, forced to go to war for the protection of its institutions and its hearths to defend its rights.

"Our adversary, after invading our territory, has decimated the civil population, massacred women and children, carried into captivity inoffensive peasants, put to death the wounded, destroyed undefended towns and burned churches, historical monuments and the famous library of the University of Louvain. All these facts have been established by authenticated documents, each of which we shall submit to your majesty."

"King Albert bade us tell all the world that Belgium is not crushed and never will be crushed."

Such was the message that Carton De Wiart of the Belgian mission delivered to the representatives of the press following the visit of the mission to King George. M. De Wiart reviewed the charges against Germany in detail. "Louvain looks like a second Pompeii. Only the town hall and the city station are left standing. Aerschot, with 8,000 inhabitants, and Diest and many other unfortified villages suffered the same fate as Louvain. At Diest, a mother and her daughter of twelve were shot to death; a young man was bound to a tree and burned alive and two men were buried alive with their heads downward."

SECOND BATTLE IS RAGING

Fifth Week of War Finds Germans Fighting For Way to Paris.

London, Sept. 2.—The fifth week of the war in western Europe finds the German armies still fighting for a road to Paris. The second great battle in the western theater of the war and a battle, which promises to decide the course of that war, has been progressing for more than three days.

The fact is almost the sum total of the knowledge which Great Britain and France have of the course of mighty events.

French Aviator Circles Brussels.

London, Sept. 2.—The correspondent in Antwerp of an Amsterdam newspaper says that a new French biplane appeared over Brussels and in a hail of German bullets twice circled the town, dropping hundreds of pamphlets containing the message: "Take courage. Deliverance soon."

The aviator then made off, after giving the spectators a daring performance of the loop-the-loop.

Germans May Bombard Antwerp.

London, Sept. 2.—The Ostend correspondent of the Reuter Telegram company reports that an extensive movement of German troops toward the north has been seen from Brussels. It is believed the Germans are going to Antwerp, where an investment and bombardment are expected.

Seek to Encouraging Recruiting.

London, Sept. 2.—Premier Asquith and Arthur J. Balfour, one of the leaders of the opposition in the house of commons, are to speak in the historic Guild hall in the city of London this week in an effort to encourage recruiting. The Guild hall will be used as a recruiting station.

HORSE SHOW PROGRAM.

Mules and Jacks at the Fair Tomorrow Morning—Herefords at the Cattle Show.

At the horse show tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock, the following is the program:

Mules and Jacks.

Ring No. 7—Best pair mules 3 years old or over, total, $45. First, $25; second, $15; third, $5. W. W. Jones & Co. also give as a premium in this ring choice of one of their celebrated Oliver riding cultivators or riding plows, valued at $35.

Ring No. 8—Best single mule 3 years old or over, total, $35. First, $20; second, $10; third, $5.

Ring No. 9—Best single 2-year-old mule or over, total, $17.50. First, $10; second, $5; third, $2.50.

Ring No. 10—Best weanling mule, total, $17.50. First, $10; second, $5; third, $2.50.

Ring No. 11—Best jack 3 years old or over, total, $50. First, $25; second, $15; third, $10.

All the above classes to be shown to halter.

At the cattle show, which also begins at 9:30, the following is the program for tomorrow:

Best bull, 3 years old or over, first $6, second $3, third $2.

Best bull 2 and under 3, first $5 second, $3, third $2.

Best bull 1 and under 2, first $5, second $3, third $2.

Best bull, under 1 year old, first $4, second $3, third $2.

Best cow, 3 years old or over, first $6, second $3, third $2.

Best heifer, 2 years old and under 3, first $5, second $3, third $2.

Best heifer, 1 year and under 2, first $5, second $3, third $2.

Best heifer under 1 year old, first $4, second $3, third $2.

Best herd consisting of one male and four females, any age, $20.

Champion bull, any age, ribbon.

Champion cow or heifer, any age, ribbon.

Guests of the Baileys.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lee and daughter, Marjorie, of Chillicothe, arrived in the city today to spend a few days, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Bailey.

Guests at Tate Home.

Mrs. Mary Arnold and daughter, Evelyn, of St. Joseph, arrived in Maryville yesterday to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Tate and family.

Married at Rest Rooms.

Jacob A. Shelman of Parnell and Pearl Garrord of Sheridan were married this morning by Judge W. L. Johnson in the rest rooms at the court house.

Stood Operation Nicely.

Word received today from Lafe Stamper states that Mrs. Stamper stood the operation nicely at the Mayo hospital at Rochester, Minn., and her chances are good for recovery.

In a preliminary hearing before United States Commissioner J. C. Hunt, yesterday, Oscar Davis of Bedford was held to the grand jury charged with having enticed Theresa Boyd of the same place to Maryville, Mo., for immoral purposes, which constitutes a violation of the white slave traffic act. The defendant was committed to the Union county jail in default of bail and will be held to await the action of the grand jury in November.—Creston American.

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Just Will Not Mix.

The following is from Tuesday's St. Joseph News-Press:

James Conklin and A. R. Hiller of Maryville came to St. Joseph last night in Conklin's touring car and at once began to celebrate at the saloons. By the time they had reached Sixth and Angelique streets they were unable to operate the car and the police took them in. In police court this morning Judge Allee fined the men $5 each and warned them that whisky and gasoline are a dangerous combination.

Goes to Springfield.

Miss Helen Wray, of Springfield, who had been spending the past three weeks in Maryville visiting friends and relatives, will leave in the morning for her home. She will be accompanied by Miss Ruth Matter, who will visit at Springfield.

To Visit Brother.

Mrs. L. M. Houston of Enid, Okla., and Mrs. T. B. Chandler of Tyler, Texas, arrived in Maryville Monday to visit their brother, S. G. Selecman, and family. Mr. Selecman has been very ill for several months.

Visiting in Maryville.

Mrs. Anna McKinney and son, Frank, of Atchison, Kan., came to Maryville yesterday to spend the week attending the fair, and while here they will be guests of Mrs. M. Heffern and daughters.

To Attend Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Holmes left this morning for Clearmont to attend the meeting of the Northwest Missouri Baptist association, which meets at that place today and tomorrow.

Home to Hamburg.

Miss Ruth Heidinger of Hamburg, Ia., who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cook and family, left yesterday for her home.

Home From Hospital.

Mrs. William Key, who has been at St. Francis hospital for the past two weeks, is improved and was taken to her home today.

Visited in Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hudgens and daughter, Violet, of Quitman spent yesterday visiting friends in Maryville.

Herndon & Bishop, G. W. Swaney, C. A. McArdner, J. R. McClurg, Sherlock & Co. and William Osborn were Nodaway county patrons of Tuesday's St. Joseph stock market.

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Hosiery For School

Buy the Children their Hose at this Store and get Hose that will Wear—We Guarantee every pair to give perfect Satistion at 10c, 15c and 25c the pair

Francis X. Bushman in
ASHES OF THE PAST
DOROTHY KELLEY in
Dorothy Dainbridge Militant
5 & 10c TONIGHT, FERN 5 & 10c

To Go to Emporia, Kan.

B. M. Cottrill and family will leave about September 20 for Emporia, Kan., where they will make their home. Mr. Cottrill recently sold his farm, near this city, and has purchased a 240-acre farm near Emporia, and also a city residence there. They will make their home in Emporia and Floyd and Jeannette will attend the state normal school there.

LOST—Pink bag containing partly finished crochet lunch cloth. Reward for return to Democrat-Forum. 2-4

To Visit in Maryville.

Miss Beulah Mounts of Bedison arrived in Maryville today to visit during the remainder of the week with Miss Irene Carr and Miss Georgia McCormick.

Dining at Wendle Home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wendle of Arkoe entertained a large party of guests Thursday at a dinner party given in honor of a number of visiting friends and relatives. The company included Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Miller and son, Oliver, of Cameron, Mo., Mrs. Frank Beaver and daughter, Mildred, of Parsons, Kan.; Mrs. Carrie Hayward of Kansas City, Mrs. Addie Snodgrass and daughters, Doris and Mary Elizabeth of Sheridan, Wyo.; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wamsley and Mr. and Mrs. Wendle.

Guest of Miss Hollowell.

Miss Blanche Barley, of Washington, Kansas, arrived in Maryville yesterday to be the guest of her cousin, Miss Ina Hollowell, during the fair.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Free Attractions Every Day | 3 Monoplane Flights

The Fair TO-NIGHT

Be there for sure at 8:00 o'clock to see Blondin and his World's Greatest Fireworks. Acts on tight wire. His work is wonderful.

C. A. Bigley, the World's Highest Diver Actually Dives 134 Feet.

The Pike is Fine. There are Attractions for Everyone. Meet your Friends on the Grounds

Horse Show Every Morning at 9:30
Mule Show and Shorthorn Cattle Tomorrow

25 Cents at the Gate Admits to Grandstand
Also Season Tickets Admit to Grandstand.

BOYS! BOYS!

TELL YOUR MOTHER AND FATHER THAT YOU WILL STUDY YOUR LESSONS LOTS BETTER IF THEY WILL COME TO OUR STORE AND BUY YOU A NEW SUIT OF CLOTHES TO WEAR TO SCHOOL.

TELL THEM THAT THEY CAN GET A GOOD SUIT FOR YOU FOR A LOW PRICE IF THEY WILL COME TO US.

TELL THEM TO COME NOW.

Berney Harris

Maryville's Only One Priced Clothier

Nodaway River Bank Full.

The Nodaway river near Clearmont is reported as bank full owing to the rains had Monday and Tuesday in that vicinity and north of there. A bridge was nearly washed out and so badly damaged that it is unsafe to travel over it. It is located west of Clearmont.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads

Guests of the Crawfords.

Glee Davidson and Miss Etta Castor of Grant City, will come to Maryville in the morning to spend Thursday and Friday, the guests of Judge and Mrs. W. H. Crawford.

Spent Day Here.

Mrs. William Hobbs of Burlington Junction was a visitor in the city today.

4% ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS

START A **Bank Account**

DEPOSITS OF ONE DOLLAR AND UPWARDS RECEIVED IN OUR SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

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A BANK FOR SAVINGS

MARYVILLE -:- -:- MISSOURI

Wray just seems to fit the case;

Rightly fills the writing place:

Friendly, 'commodatin, feller,

Couldn't suit us any weller.

Remember to Re-elect Wray Recorder. That's Reasonable

—Advertisement

MISSOURI'S POTATO PATCH.

An 87 Per Cent Crop Yields 4,402,000 Bushels From 87,000 Acres—Sell at $1.14.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 2.—The Missouri Irish potato patch contains 87,000 acres this year and the total production will be approximately 4,402,000 bushels, according to estimates made today by the United States crop reporting board. The condition of the crop is 87 per cent of normal and the price at the present time is averaging around $1.14 per bushel.

In Continental United States there are 3,708,000 acres planted to this product and this year's production is estimated at 360,614,000 bushels by the federal department of agriculture. This year's crop will exceed the average crop of the last five years by approximately 4,000,000 bushels. The nation's production last year was 331,525,000 bushels, was produced on 3,668,000 acres of land and sold for $227,903,000, or an average of 20 cents per bushel.

LETTER LIST.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville, Mo., postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, Sept. 2, 1914:

Gentlemen.

Deschauer, R.
Everts, J.
Hoffman, George J.
Machusin, Dryse.
Minnis, J. F.
Otten, Charles.
Redman, Hallie.
Smith, C. P.
West, Ed F.

Ladies.

Alsup, Miss Janet.
Baum, Ella May.
Biliby, Miss Margaret.
Jones, Mrs. Sam (foreign).
Kenney, Miss Verna.
Lawler, Mrs. Evertt.
Montgomery, Miss Eva May.
Needham, Mrs. Bell.
Noble, Mrs. A. W.
Rhoades, Mrs. Ralph.
Rice, Mrs. Rose.
Smith, Mrs. Fred.
Smith, Mrs. R. M.
Wiseman, Miss Verna and Gladys.

Persons calling for the above named letters will please say "advertised."

JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—1,500. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 4,000.
Hogs—2,000. Market 5 and 10c lower. Estimate tomorrow, 16,000.
Sheep—30,000. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—600. Market steady.
Hogs—7,000. Market 5c higher; top, $9.35.
Sheep—8,000. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—12,000. Market steady.
Hogs—7,000. Market 5c higher; top, $9.35.
Sheep—1,000. Market steady.

Mother's pies, grandmother's doughnuts and everything else that is good at the Federation lunch stand at the county fair.

Does Your Watch, Clock or Jewelry Need Repairing?

All Work Guaranteed
Prices Reasonable

CRANE'S

We Regulate Your Watch Free

Notice to The Public

During the Fair We will be prepared to take in

All Kinds

—OF—

Watch & Jewelry Repairing

At our Booth in Floral Hall

DeHart & Holmes

Maryville's Live Jewelers

SOCIETY AND CLUBLAND

KATE SCHENCK

Phones—Office 42 Home 683

While a surpliced choir sang "America," the ground was broken Saturday at the Panama-Pacific exposition grounds in San Francisco for the building of the Young Women's Christion association. The site was strewn with cut flowers and the ceremonial, which was an unusually pretty one, was in charge of the young women of the San Francisco association. Among the speakers was Miss Helen Alling Davis, secretary of the national Y. W. C. A. board.

Royal Neighbors to Meet.

The Royal Neighbors will hold their regular meeting at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon in the Modern Woodmen hall.

Mrs. Guthrie Hostess.

The Herron Home-Making Circle is being entertained this afternoon at the country home of Mrs. Virgil Guthrie, northwest of the city.

Society Meet Postponed.

The Women's Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist church has postponed its meeting for this week until Thursday afternoon of next week.

Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Luton and son of St. Joseph were the complimentary guests of a dinner given last night by Mr. and Mrs. John Z. Curnutt and family.

Miss Wells' House Party.

Miss Ethel Wells will entertain with a house party during the remainder of the week. Her guests will be Miss Lela Caudle of Parnell, Miss Nelle Enochs of Darlington, Miss Mabel Merrigan of Clyde and Misses Vera and Golden Wells of Ravenwood.

Party of Newly Weds.

Miss Edith Jones of Pickering returned to her home at noon today, after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Jones, west of Maryville. Miss Jones came to attend a party given by Mr. and Mrs. Jones last night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. William Jones of Ford, Kan., who are spending their honeymoon with relatives here.

For Miss Heidinger.

In honor of their guest, Miss Ruth Heidinger of Hamburg, Ia., Mrs. Paul Cook and daughters entertained a number of guests Monday evening at the Cook home. Those present beside the honor guest were Miss Dorothy McDonald, Miss Leska Wray, Miss Velma Farnan, Miss Faye Farmer, Harry Jones, Frank Cook, Dedrick Coleman, Kay Hempstead and Raymond Cook.

Potts-Summers.

Miss Phena Potts, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Potts of Guilford, and Clarence T. Summers of Stanberry were married this afternoon at the parsonage of the Buchanan Street Methodist church by the pastor, Rev. J. D. Randolph. The ceremony was witnessed by the bride's parents. Rev. Randolph was in St. Joseph attending the annual conference session and made a special trip home to perform the ceremony, returning to St. Joseph on the afternoon train.

Society Year Book.

"Another Year of Service" prefaces the new year book issued this week by the Women's Missionary society of the First Baptist church. The meetings are to be held the first Friday in each month, beginning in September with Mrs. William Everhart as hostess. The October meeting will be a tea given at the residence of Mrs. G. B. Holmes. The Thanksgiving spirit will prevail at the November session, held with Mrs. Henry Eckert, and the December tea is to be held at the Maryville Conservatory studio, with Prof. P. O. Landon as host. This meeting will also be a musicale. Mrs. J. M. Ringgold is hostess to the January meeting, and the February afternoon, which is a social one, is to be held with Mrs. W. A. Burris. One of the most interesting meetings of the year is in March, at the home of Mrs. Mary Landon, when state missions are to be studied. The April tea is at the home of Mrs. James Cook, the May number with Mrs. Samuel Hutchison, and another social meeting held on June 4, at which a study program is also given, will be at the home of Mrs. Omar Catterson. In July the last formal meeting of the year is held at the country home of Mrs. Eugene Ogden. In August the annual luncheon and business meeting takes place, with the election of officers and plans for the coming year. The officers for this year are Mrs. Alex Fraser, president; Mrs. W. A. Burris, first vice president; Mrs. Clark Andrews, second vice president; Mrs. G. B. Holmes, third vice president; Mrs. Bruce Montgomery, secretary; Mrs. G. W. Hempstead, treasurer; Mrs. James Cook, collector; Mrs. H. L. Raines, pianist; Mrs. William Everhart, chorister; Mrs. Omer Catterson, librarian; Mrs. W. A. Bailey, flower committee.

PERFECT FITTING GLASSES

are assured you if you come to Cranes. Our expert optician will test your eyes free and fit them with the proper glasses. Prices reasonable. **H. T. CRANE**

Mrs. Whedbee Here.

Mrs. John Whedbee of Carthage, Mo., is a guest today and will be for several days of Mr. and Mrs. Walton Frank. Mrs. Whedbee arrived in the city a few days ago and will spend several weeks visiting the Franks, Mrs. W. T. Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Roseberry and other old friends in the city.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank all our friends and neighbors for their kindness to us during the illness and death of our husband and father. We also wish to express our thanks for the many floral offerings.—Mrs. James Shrubshall, Mr. and Mrs. Will Butler and family, Mr. and Mrs. Will Worden and family, Florence Shrubshall, Walter Shrubshall.

Kodaks and supplies at Crane's.

Alderman-Yehle

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co. West Third Street

Store News

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New Autumn Goods

Do you realize that the first month of autumn is here? We are receiving new goods every day—and you will find everything here that you will possibly want for your new autumn wardrobe. An early visit will insure you a wider selection.

New Dress Goods

If you have not seen our line of new Autumn Dress Goods, let us ask you to come in at once and inspect them.

Among the many new weaves are the ever popular Broadcloths, Diagonal Cheviots, Gaberdine, Cheviot Poplins, Serges and Worsted Crepes.

The popular colorings are Black, Navy, French Blue, Pete de Negra, Russian Green, Fancy Plaids and Stripes.

These vary in width from 36-inches to 60-inches, prices from **50c to $2.50 the yard**

NEW SILKS

Never were we in better position to supply your wants in the Silk Department, as we have a complete assortment of all the new weaves and colorings.

The leading weaves are Baroness Poplin, Taffetas, Crepes and Messalines.

The colorings are varied, being in Pigeon Blue, Navy, Severis Blue, Pete de Negra, Russian Green and Black. Both in plain and fancy patterns.

Prices **50c to $2.50.**

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FOR SALE

80 Acres 6 miles of Maryville $6,000.00 Mortgage 5 per cent, 9 years to run, price $105.00 per acre. We have several farms ranging from 40 to 300 acres we can sell on small payments. If you have Farm or City Property to exchange Come in and see us.

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A Sad Advancement.

What a time of tragedy it is in the lives of children when they reach the stage where they must first be captured and held in leash before submitting to the torture of having their faces washed! Finally the drop of water wears the stone away, the boy's manly spirit is broken and he goes tamely to the bath room, a sacrifice to civilization before each meal. At about the same age a girl makes the equally tragic discovery that the cuticle of one's finger nails is not supposed to spread entirely over one's hands. Thus she takes her first conscious and timid steps on the long road of feminine preservation and appraisement.—Los Angeles Times.

Home From Omaha.

Miss Rebecca Gray has returned from Omaha, where she had been for some time with her sister, Mrs. John Swearengin, who has been ill with blood poisoning. Mrs. Swearengin is greatly improved.

To Go to Chicago.

Mrs. Emma Cloud of Kansas City, who has been visiting a few days in the city with her daughters, Misses Viva and Marie Cloud, left today for Chicago, where she has a position with the Hillman Millinery company.

Home From St. Louis.

Berney Harris returned yesterday from St. Louis, where he was called by the death of Mrs. Harris' father, Ben Scharff. Mrs. Harris and daughter will remain longer in St. Louis.

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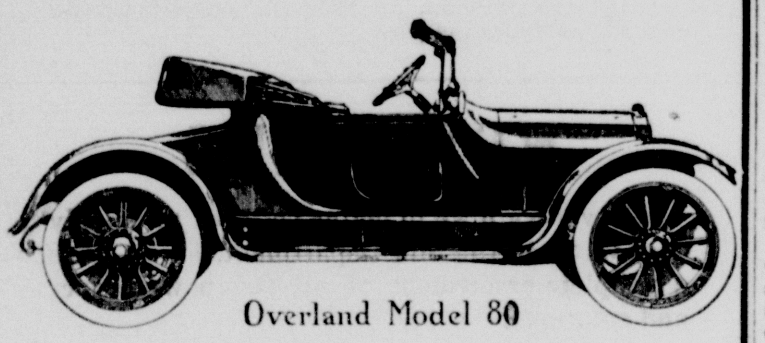

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irestone Tubes.

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CLAIM DEFEAT OF RUSSIANS

Germans Crush Czar's Forces at Allenstein.

TAKE 70,000 PRISONERS.

Two Commanding Generals Asserted to Be Among Captives of Victorious Teutons—Russian Artillery Said to Be Complete Loss.

Washington, Sept. 2.—Official advices received through diplomatic channels reported two of the most important developments of the present war.

The German embassy gave out a message from Berlin, received by wireless via Sayville, L. I., claiming that the German forces had captured near Allenstein 70,000 Russian prisoners, including two commanding generals and the entire equipment of Russian artillery.

See Turk Against Them.

Great Britain asked the United States to be prepared to care for British diplomatic interests in Turkey, indicating that the allies had practically lost hope of persuading the Ottoman empire to remain neutral.

Dispatches received at the British embassy referred to the incorporation in the Turkish army of several German officers, which was regarded as the forerunner of intervention by the porte in behalf of Germany.

Means Italy With Allies.

Turkey's entrance in the conflict means the alignment of Italy as well as Greece on the side of Great Britain, France, Russia, Servia, Montenegro and Roumania, diplomats here believe. Just what the attitude of Bulgaria will be is a matter of uncertainty, though the Turkish ambassador here gave out a statement speaking of the community of interests of Bulgaria and Turkey.

The Turkish situation was watched with deepest concern by diplomats because of the imminence of a general war in the Balkans and extension of the war drama to all of eastern Europe.

The official statement of the big German victory against the Russians attracted wide attention. Military observers pointed out that if the number of Russians taken prisoners had been correctly estimated at 70,000, there must have been great casualties. No mention of this was made.

U. S. HAS RIGHT TO BUY SHIPS

Hearings on House Merchant Marine Bill Concluded.

Washington, Sept. 2.—The right of the United States to buy merchant ships of any nationality for neutral uses cannot be disputed by any nation, declared Secretary McAdoo of the treasury department before the house merchant marine committee, supporting the administration merchant marine bill.

Mr. McAdoo refused, however, to discuss the diplomatic phases of the situation when asked if protests had been received from Great Britain or France against the possible government purchase of German vessels.

Hearings on the bill were concluded and it will be taken up today for immediate committee action. An early report to the house is expected.

Russians Regret Samsonoff Deeply.

London, Sept. 2.—A telegram from St. Petersburg says:

"Lieutenant General Samsonoff, who commanded a corps in the Russo-Japanese war, and until recently chief of the Russian Turkestan military district, is deeply regretted."

The foregoing would seem to indicate that General Samsonoff had died, although no report of his death has been received here.

Canadians to Bermuda.

Halifax, Sept. 2.—Eight hundred British regulars will be withdrawn from service in Bermuda and replaced by an equal number of Canadian volunteers. Later the Canadians may also be sent to the front in Europe. The Duke of Connaught, governor general of Canada, so announced in reviewing the Royal Canadian regiment, which has been selected for service in Bermuda.

Britons Put Ban on Export of Jam.

Washington, Sept. 2.—War on the continent and mobilization in England will not be allowed to affect the British breakfast. Ambassador Page at London reported to the state department that exportations of jam and marmalade, an essential part of the British breakfast, had been forbidden by English authorities.

Rounding Up Reservists.

Cape Town, Sept. 2.—The process of rounding up Austrian and German reservists from the different parts of the Union of South Africa and holding them as prisoners of war has been proceeding for a fortnight. Some 8,000 are now detained in a special camp at Johannesburg.

France Calls Last of Its Reserves.

Paris, Sept. 2.—Official announcement was made to the effect that the minister of war has decided to call out immediately all the reservists in the country who have not been previously summoned to the colors.

WILCOX ITEMS.

(By Van Yardley.)

A car driven by Ed Moore skidded into a ditch while going down the Kidman hill, one and a half miles north of Wilcox. There were two men in the car and both were bruised and scratched. The damage to the car was a broken wind shield, a lamp broken and a side mashed in. Outside of that there was no damage done. The car was pulled out of the ditch Sunday morning and driven to Clearmont.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lynn of St. Joseph spent Sunday at Fred Haller's.

Misses Hazel and Maud McCombs entertained the young people's class of the M. E. church Saturday night. All roll calls were responded to with Bible quotations. After the business session a social hour was enjoyed. The class will meet in two weeks at the Jenson home.

Mrs. B. K. Ferguson entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Brice Hall and family, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Moore and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hainline, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ferguson.

Miss Dora Smith left Sunday for Sheridan, where she will teach the coming term of school.

Ora Yardley of Greeley Center, Neb., spent Saturday night and Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bebout.

MAPLE LAWN NOTES.

(Bessie Vail.)

Lee McCord and family of Coin, Ia., came down Friday evening to visit Mrs. McCord's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Snodderly. Miss Ruby Snodderly accompanied them home for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Harry Vail is sick.

Most every one in this vicinity attended the fair at Clarinda last Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Neal of Clearmont spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. A. P. Swaney.

James Milbank and family and Miss St. Clair, G. W. Snodderly, wife and son, and Mr. and Mrs. William Watson were Sunday evening callers at the Vail home.

Herman Vail spent Saturday night with Elbert Sloan.

Safety First Society.

Here is what the card says:

MOTORISTS

Carefulness First
Means
Safety Always

1. Be Considerate
2. Go Slow
   - Passing Children
   - Passing Vehicles
   - Around Corners
   - Approaching Crossings
3. Stop
   - At Railroad Crossings
   - Behind Street Cars Taking on or Discharging Passengers
4. Use Tire Chains on Wet and Slippery Pavements
   - Better Be Safe Than Sorry

D. C. Moore spent the day yesterday on a business visit in Elmo.

Knox Garage
Auto Livery

Makes private calls for all trains at all times.

CAREFUL DRIVERS
PHONE 313 RESIDENCE 490

If You Must Leave Nodaway County to Buy Land Come Let Us Tell You About This

A SYNDICATE IS IMPROVING 60,000 acres in tracts of 160 80 and 40 acres with the following improvements and all new and up to date. First, all outside fence first class shape. Second, a new five room house (and larger if desired) barn, milk house, out house, well and wind mill. Out of each 160, 80 acres broke from new sod, 20 acres growing alfalfa, 2 acres of ordchard. A guarantee of abundance of never failing water Near railroad and good county seat town of 6,000 people, fine schools and churches. A Methodist college, Catholic college, a Baptist college, where crops are better than in this county this year and the increase of land will make you well to do.

Terms one-fourth cash, balance in 6 years at 6 per cent.

SEE
Holmes & Wolfert
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Excursion to this land every first and third Tuesday of each month. Come and go with us.

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$1,500 to loan. R. L. McDougal. 28-3

See Glover & Alexander for your winter's coal and hay. 36-tf

FOR RENT—Rooms at 215 South Market street. 2-6.

GET your Shorthorn seed now. They are ready to wean. Byron Croy. 31-2

WANTED—Roomers, either men or women. 204 South Vine. Farmer's phone, 174-11. 2-4.

LOST—Brass hub cap off fire wagon. Finder return to city hall. 1-3

FOR SALE—Two extra good milk cows. Call Hanamo 5711 or Farmers 43-12. 37-tf

IT'S CLEAN-UP TIME—See D Becker for cleaning and pressing. The Clothes Doctor, at 209½ North Main.

WANTED—A good 5 or 6-room house. Ed Brewer, at Democrat-Forum. 1-3

WANTED—Man and wife to keep house; middle aged couple preferred. Inquire John C. Looker, phone 576. 31-2

STRAYED—1 bay mare with wire cut on right front foot, white spot on back, weight about 1,000 pounds. Call at this office. 3-4

WANTED—Experienced man to work by the month on farm. Inquire at this office. 3-4

STRAYED—From Westlawn farm, one Shorthorn red heifer calf, 2 months old. Reward for return or information leading to recovery. Call Hanamo 51. H. H. Bellows.

FOR SALE—Poland-China male and female pigs for breeding. Also registered sow and nine June pigs and Jersey male calf, splendid individual. N. Sisson. See Alfred C. Allen, colored, at end West Third street, 228 Grand avenue, Maryville. 12tf.

Fresh Cut Roses

White, Pink and Yellow $1.00 and $1.25 per dozen; Lily of the Valley 75c per dozen; Asters 75c per dozen, Gladiolus $1.00 and $1.50 per dozen, Snap dragon 50c per dozen. Our leading specialty at all seasons of the year is fresh cut flowers in appropriate arrangements for any occasion and we also see that each order whether given us personally or by mail or phone is carefully packed and promptly delivered.

The Engelmann Greenhouses
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Salt Lake	$32.20	California Points	$61.48

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ADVANCE DIVISION

OF THE GERMANS WIPED OUT BY THE FRENCH.

TO EVACUATE GALACIA

Austrians Are Preparing to Leave Capital—Russians Admit Disaster of Two Army Corps.

(By American Press.)

London, Sept. 2.—Advices have been received from St. Petersburg that the Russian general staff confesses to disaster of two army corps, including the loss of three generals.

Austrians preparing to evecuate the capital of Galacia.

German advance division is wiped out by French.

While the whole world is awaiting definite news from the battle line, the French war office contents itself with the simple statement that, as a result of the turning movement of the German army, and in order not to accept battle under unfavorable conditions, the French troops again have retired.

From the British capital no word is forthcoming regarding what are considered the most momentous operations of the war. While Berlin claims a German victory over the Russians in East Prussia in the capture of 70,000 men, the Russians claim an important victory over the Austrians on the Galicia side with 30,000 prisoners.

Another German aeroplane has been dropping bombs into Paris, and according to the French official statement the American ambassador has organized a committee and has sent a protest against this method of warfare to the government at Washington.

The Belgian special commission on its way to the United States to protest against alleged German atrocities, has been received by King George and has presented him with an address setting forth some of the happenings in Belgium during the present campaign and has warmly thanked Great Britain for its intervention.

Paris, Sept. 2.—The following official statement was issued by the war office:

"On our left wing as a result of the turning movement of the German army and in order not to accept battle under unfavorable conditions, our troops retired toward the south and southwest. In the region of Rethel our forces have arrested the enemy momentarily. In the center and on the right the situation remains unchanged."

The position of the allied armies, according to the opinion of French military experts, is good. The Germans, it is pointed out, are attempting a movement which, if it fails, will leave them in a dangerous situation, with their troops exhausted.

The British army, fresh and rested, the experts say, is about to engage the extreme German rigot and to support the French, who have been retiring slowly for several days.

The Germans are fortifying the environs of Brussels and they have transformed the cemetery into a redoubt.

Russ Victory Brilliant.

A Rome dispatch to the Temps says the Russian victory over the Austrians on the Galician side was brilliant, the right wing of the Austrian army having been decisively turned and cut to pieces, leaving 30,000 prisoners in the hands of the victors.

On the Vistula front when the Russians encountered the Austrian left wing the result was somewhat uncertain, but the arrival of important reinforcements enabled the Russians to take a vigorous offensive and repulse the enemy. They captured a large number of pieces of artillery.

The Russians, the dispatch adds, executed many bayonet charges against the Austrians, which had a large share in deciding the issue of the battle. Elsewhere the Germans, endeavoring to effect a junction with the Austrians, sought to meet the Russian attack with a counter attack offensive, but were repulsed with losses.

Austrian Defeat Colossal.

London, Sept. 2.—The Central News publishes a dispatch from Rome saying telegrams received there from Bucharest, Roumania, declare that the Austrian defeat in Galicia was colossal. Trains are transporting tens of thousands of wounded; many Austrian regiments have been destroyed.

The Westminster Gazette publishes a dispatch from Gothenburg, Sweden, saying that the Wilson line steamer Oslo has arrived there from Hull and reports having heard heavy cannonading as it passed through the Skagerrak, the waterway between northern Denmark and Norway.

PROF. MOORE HERE.

Former Normal Teacher Visiting Old Friends and Attending Fair.

Prof. V. I. Moore, principal of the Arlington Military academy at Arlington, Texas, arrived in Maryville this morning for a short visit with old friends. Mr. Moore has been advance booking agent for the Vawter Chautauqua system during the summer, and is now on his way home to begin his school work.

THOMAS Q. BURNS DEAD.

Nodaway County Resident Dies Yesterday Afternoon at Rochester.

Word was received by relatives here of the death of Thomas Q. Burns yesterday afternoon at Rochester, Minn., where he had gone for treatment. Mr. Burns was accompanied to Rochester by his wife and his daughter, Mrs. Tom Davis, living near Arkoe.

No further word as to the time of the arrival of the body in Maryville has been received.

Mr. Burns was quite aged and had been in very poor health for some time. He leaves beside his wife, three daughters, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Thomas Farrell of near Orrsburg, and one daughter living in Chicago.

SITUATION ABOUT THE SAME.

No Rise in River Owing to the Rains—Sandpoint System Progressing—Water Getting Low.

The water situation today is about the same. While all-day service is being had, still there will have to be some improvement before the service can continue much longer. Yesterday there was eight inches of water in the reservoir, and today there was only five inches. They pumped an hour and a half at the plant this morning, that being all the water that was coming down the river.

The work on the sandpoint system is still progressing. Three sandpoints had been driven down. It is thought by Friday the system will be ready to use.

The expected rise in the river, owing to the rains around Bedford and Lenox, did not show up today.

Visiting Nodaway Relatives.

Mrs. Will Reardon of Corning, Cal., and her sister, Mrs. George Morin of Cherryvale, Kan., have been visiting in Maryville for a few days with their niece, Miss Ada Morin. Mrs. Reardon will visit at Barnard with her daughter, Mrs. Wilbur Carmichael and Mrs. Morin will visit her son, John Morin, and family of Parnell.

Mrs. R. K. Townsend Here.

Mrs. R. K. Townsend of Oklahoma City, Okla., arrived in Maryville this morning to spend a few weeks visiting at the home of E. L. Townsend and Ferd Townsend. Mrs. Townsend is en route to her home from a summer's stay in Colorado Springs, Col.

Attending Iowa State Fair.

Harold Bellows left Monday night for Des Moines, Ia., to attend the state fair being held there this week. He will also go to Ames, Ia., to visit former friends at the State Agricultural college before returning home.

Spent Day in Maryville.

Mrs. Will Enis and Miss Jennie Vardie of Clyde spent yesterday visiting friends in this city.

HORSE WINNERS

OF THE SHOW HELD THIS MORNING AT THE FAIR.

POULTRY PRIZES GIVEN

E. L. Andrews, Charles Viles, W. H. Crawford, M. C. Thompson and John Gross Won the $25 Prize.

The horse show at the county fair this morning was a great success and many people witnessed it. Draft horses were exhibited, and there were a number of entries. The winners were:

Ring No. 1—Best draft stallion any breed, 3 years old or over, total amount, $90. First prize, $50; second, $25; third, $15. First, W. A. Burks, Pickering, Mo.; second, Frank Roelofson, Maryville; third, Claude Roelofson, Maryville.

Ring No. 2—Best draft mare or gelding, 3 years old or over, total amount, $35. First, $20; second, $10; third, $5 First, E. S. Culver, King City, Mo.; second, Harold Bellows, Maryville; third, Charles Gallagher, Maryville.

Ring No. 3—Best draft team of mares or geldings 3 years old or over, total, $45. First, $25; second, $15; third, $5. First E. S. Culver, King City; second, Harold Bellows, Maryville; third, Charles Gallagher, Maryville.

Ring No. 4—Best all-purpose team, mares or geldings, 3 years old or over, total, $45. First, $25; second, $15; third, $5. First, Will Dempsey, Maryville; second, Harve Cockayne, Maryville; third, Fletcher Dalby, Maryville.

Ring No. 5—Best pure-bred weanling draft colt (grade colts eligible), total, $17.50. First, $10; second, $5; third, $2.50. First, I. E. Miller, Pickering; second, W. W. Andrews, Maryville; third, J. W. Moss, Ravenwood.

Ring No. 6—Best grade weanling draft colt (pure breds not eligible), total, $17.50. First, $10; second, $5; third, $2.50. First I. E. Miller, Pickering; second, W. W. Andrews, Maryville; third, Homer Lyle, Maryville.

Winners in Chicken Show.

S. C. White Orpingtons—E. L. Andrews, first; G. B. Holmes, second.

Buff Orpingtons—D. E. McDonald, first; Mrs. N. J. Vickery, Arkoe, second.

S. C. Rhode Island Reds—Charles Viles, first; K. Hempstead, second.

Buff Wyandottes—W. H. Crawford & Son, first; J. H. Sayler, second.

Silver Laced Wyandottes—Claude Glass, first.

Barred Rocks—M. C. Thompson, first; Cecil Smith, second.

White Rocks—O. A. Bennett, first; Eugene Yehle, second.

Buff Rocks—F. P. Robinson, first.

White Leghorns, rose comb—John Gross, first and second.

S. C. White Leghorns—O. L. Robey.

Light Brahmas—Frank Roelofson, first.

Pekin ducks—E. L. Andrews, first.

Bronze turkeys—Wm. Golding, first.

Belgian hares—Carl Yowell, first.

Pigeons—Willie Foster, first and second.

The special prize offered by the Real Estate bank of $25 was won by E. L. Andrews, Charles Viles, W. H. Crawford & Son, M. C. Thompson and John Gross.

Kansas Visitors Here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Thornhill of Peru, Kan., returned last night from a visit with relatives and will spend the remainder of the week visiting in the city with Mr. Thornhill's brother and sister, Judge John Thornhill and Mrs. Calista Dawson, and families.

BIG CROWD TODAY

AT THE COUNTY FAIR TO WITNESS THE EVENTS.

THE FLIGHTS A SUCCESS

Worden Made One This Morning and Two Yesterday Afternoon—Evening Program at the Fair.

Tonight's Program.

8:00—Fireworks by "Fearless" Blondin, and also wire walking act by Blondin.

10:00—High dive by C. A. Bigley.

Thursday's Program.

9:30—Horse show; cattle show.

10:30—Monoplane flight by Worden.

Afternoon—

1:30—Races.

2:00—Monoplane flight.

4:00—Balloon ascension by Phelps.

5:00—Monoplane flight.

The fair was well attended today, and everything is being pulled off on schedule time.

J. Hector Worden made a flight in his monoplane at 10:30 this morning, and the other free attractions were given.

No evening's program was given at the fair last evening. The fireworks was postponed on account of the rain and the high dive was put off. They will be given this evening, sure, and a charge of 25 cents will be made at the gate for the night show. Season tickets will be good at the night show.

Captain J. H. Worden is certainly making good with the Maryville people. He goes up on the dot each time, and each flight has been a perfect example of the practicability of the aeroplane. It made one feel a little creepy to think of the possibilities which the birdman had in his power as he sailed gracefully over the grounds time and again, and to think of the ease with which he could have dropped several bombs at any point desired during the flights.

The grace and ease with which the powerful machine is manipulated is a subject of common remark. "Why, that looks so easy that I believe I could do that," said one of the spectators.

During the first flight yesterday afternoon, Captain Worden said that a few miles to the south and east of Maryville he encountered a heavy rain storm, which he said made going a little hard.

At 5 o'clock, the time for the third flight, the wind had begun to rise, but promptly on time the machine rose from its hangar, and for twenty minutes flew in circles and straight-aways over the fair grounds. The close of the flight was marked by a long detour to the east and a gradual dip to the ground. The light was perfect. When within a few feet of the ground the machine raised slightly and skimmed along the surface of the meadow, until it came to a stop a short distance in front of the hangar.

Captain Worden, when interviewed after the flight, said that the upper air currents were particularly baffling on the last trip. "But," said Captain Worden, "if it weren't for some of the hard things mixed in with the easy, there would be no reason why every one could not fly."

The balloon did not ascend yesterday afternoon, as the high wind prevented the filling of the big gas bag. Plin E. Phelps and his assistant stayed on the grounds until nearly dark, however, hoping that the wind would abate sufficiently for them to make the ascension.

78 BABIES AT THE SHOW.

One Big Success—Judgment to Be Made This Afternoon.

It is pretty evident that there is nothing wrong with the baby show, and that it is one big success. There are 78 babies, every one a mother's darling and deserving a big blue ribbon, entered for the show this afternoon. This 78 includes 72 singles and three doubles, or 72 babies and three sets of twins, whichever way it should be said.

The judges are Mrs. Anna M. Hagins, Mrs. O. C. Hanna and Dr. Will Wallis, Jr.

TODAY'S RACING WINNERS

At the time of going to press, one heat had been run in the 2:15 pace at the races at the county fair. Hallie Phelps was first, owner J. Phelps of Fayette; A. G. Wiley, second, owner V. L. Ambrose of Sheridan; Little Gene, third, owner Bod Connor. The time was 2:16.

The first heat in the 2:20 trot was won by Catherine Wiley, owner V. L. Ambrose of Sheridan; Tasko, second, owner Ole Rowe of Fayette; Joe Frazier, third. Time, 2.25.

Tomorrow's Races.

Tomorrow is derby day at the races at the county fair, and many good races will be had.

In the 2:15 trot for a purse of $300, the horses entered are Red View, Roscoe Medium, Grayson Rex and Darius.

The second race is three-fourths of a mile running, and the horses entered are Deerfoot, Puck, Ballencer, White Lily and High Jack. The purse is $150.

In the third race, five-eighths of a mile running, the horses will be King Earl, Bess Ward, Lassie Dere, High Jack, Claudine, B. A. Jones.

The fourth race will be the Maryville derby for a purse of $500. The horses entered are Frank Flescher, Waldo, Mintank, Surlon and Miss Sly.

In the four and a half furlongs race for a purse of $100, the horses will be King Earl, Classy Variety, Fay C, Lover's Lane, White Lily and Jean Hoppas.

Yesterday's Races.

The races of yesterday afternoon were a success and time was very good. In the five-eighths mile for a purse of $200, Mintank won, with King Earl second and Miss Sly third. The time was 1:04.

In the 5½ furlongs, Bess Ward was first, Deerfoot second, and Lassie Dere third. Time, 1:12.

The two other races of yesterday afternoon were in Tuesday's paper.

DISTRICT DEPUTY HERE.

Mrs. Loomis Doing Preparatory Work for Big Log Rolling.

Mrs. Helen Loomis of St. Joseph, district deputy for the Woodmen Circle who has been spending the past week in Maryville, returned today from a visit with the Elmo and Stanberry lodges. Mrs. Loomis is visiting all the lodges in the district and making a membership campaign for the Woodmen log rolling to be held here in October.

WON CALF HERD PRIZE.

Bellows Bros. Took First in That Ring at Des Moines, Ia., Fair Yesterday.

Bellows Bros. took first in calf herd ring at the Iowa state fair at Des Moines yesterday. There were nineteen exhibitors. They also won third in the young herd class. Bellows Bros. have a number of their fine Shorthorn cattle in the show at that place.

To Spend Week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Olson of Red Oak, Ia., arrived in the city today to spend the remainder of the week attending the fair and visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Luppold. They were accompanied by their grandson, Stewart Luppold, who has been spending the summer on the Olson farm.

To Visit in Kansas City.

Misses Alice and Elizabeth Merle Ford left this morning for Kansas City to spend a while visiting friends.

TO OPEN MONDAY

THE CITY SCHOOLS WILL COMMENCE THEN.

TEACHERS TO MEET

To Take Up School Matters for the Coming Year—Ward Buildings Improved During Vacation.

The city public schools will open next Monday. Such was the announcement made today by Superintendent W. M. Westbrook.

The teachers of the ward schools will meet with Mr. Westbrook Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock to take up matters for the coming year, and the grade teachers of Central school will meet at 3 o'clock that afternoon. Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock all the teachers will meet at the Central building.

All of the school buildings will be in readiness for the opening after the improvements that were made during the summer. The ward schools were improved some.

Supt. Westbrook announces that there will be kindergarten tables and chairs in the first room of the wards this year.

JOE CRAIG BUYS A VINEYARD.

To Try Grape Farming for a Pastime—Changes Residence.

Joe Craig of San Diego, Cal., writes to The Democrat-Forum today that his address in future is El Cajon, Cal., instead of San Diego, which has been his home for a good many years. He has purchased a vineyard at El Cajon, which is fifteen miles from San Diego, and has moved there. Mr. Craig is in the government service in the city and still keeps his business there, going back and forth by train daily.

Mr. Craig left Maryville for southern California about eighteen years ago.

YEAR'S APPLE CROP.

Forecast of Production Bigger Than Last Year.

An apple crop of 210,000,000 bushels is the forecast by the department of agriculture, which bases its estimate on its latest reports. That is about 65,000,000 bushels more than last year, but 25,000,000 less than in 1912, and about 4,000,000 bushels less than in 1911. The mean price to producers in the three months of heavy marketing, September, October and November, last year, was 85.5 cents a bushel. In 1912 it was 62.3 cents and in 1911 it was 69.7 cents.

BALL GAME SUNDAY.

The All Stars Will Play the Atchison, Kan., All Stars at Riffe's Park.

The All Stars will play the Atchison, Kan., All Stars on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Riffe's ball park. The Atchison team accompanied by a number of rooters will come to Maryville in a special car. The batting order and line-up of the Atchison team follows: Koester, cf; Rice, ss; Ellen, 2b; Haas, 3b; Loogran, c; Harras, lf; Sanders, 3b; Vandiver, rf; Couchman, p; A. Clem, sub.

Employed at West Point.

Miss Vernie Aley will leave Friday for Omaha, to spend a few days, after which she will go to West Point, Neb., where she has a position in a millinery store.

Attending Fair.

Among the visitors at the county fair today are Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Vert of Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Trosper, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Robertson and L. D. Carter of Burlington Junction, Robert Riley of Conception Junction and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Montgomery and family of Hopkins.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Thursday; cooler tonight.

BANKS CLOSED

All the Banks of the City will be closed tomorrow afternoon from 1:00 o'clock for the remainder of the day on account of the County Fair.

Nodaway Valley Bank
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Farmers Trust Company
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Announce Birth of Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wiley, living near Pickering, announce the birth of a daughter this morning.

Visitors From Maitland.

Mrs. Wallace Hardin and son of Maitland were visitors in Maryville yesterday.

Visiting in Kansas.

Miss Maude Owen left yesterday for Republic, Kan., to spend a couple of weeks visiting relatives.

For Sale—Good square eating at the county fair by the City Federation.

Pleads Guilty.

Theodore Liros, charged with fighting yesterday, and who plead not guilty at the time of his arrest, has changed his decision. He plead guilty to the charge today and was fined $1 and costs amounting to $7.35.

Get your meals at the Federation lunch tent at the county fair.

Marriage Licenses.

Clarence F. Summers, Stanberry.
Phena Potts, Guilford.
Jacob A. Shelman, Parnell.
Pearl Garrord, Sheridan.

Marriage Licenses.

James A. Rice.....St. Joseph
Nellie H. Rice.....Benton, Ia.
Clyde R. Hilton.....Randolph, Ia.
Elenora K. Slider.....Elmo

Don't bother bringing lunch to the county fair. We serve better ones. Come to the Federation lunch stand.

Miss Catherine Brady of Plattsburg is visiting in Maryville this week, the guest of Misses Elizabeth and Margaret Heffern.

Miss Coletha Linneman of Clyde came to Maryville today to spend a few days visiting her aunt, Mrs. Anna Miller and family.

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RENE VIVIANI.

President of the French Cabinet Reorganizes Body On Account of War Crisis.

CHARGE GERMANS BURY MEN ALIVE

Specific Instances Given by Belgian Commission.

London, Sept. 2.—At the reception by King George at Buckingham palace of the Belgian mission, which is on its way to the United States to protest against alleged German atrocities in the war zone, an address to the king was read, setting forth some of the happenings in the present campaign and thanking the king for Great Britain's aid.

The address referred to King George's message to King Albert and the co-operation of the British land and sea forces.

"This," continued the address, "brought renewed gratitude and strengthened still further the determination of the Belgian nation, forced to go to war for the protection of its institutions and its hearths to defend its rights.

"Our adversary, after invading our territory, has decimated the civil population, massacred women and children, carried into captivity inoffensive peasants, put to death the wounded, destroyed undefended towns and burned churches, historical monuments and the famous library of the University of Louvain. All these facts have been established by authenticated documents, each of which we shall submit to your majesty."

"King Albert bade us tell all the world that Belgium is not crushed and never will be crushed."

Such was the message that Carton De Wiart of the Belgian mission delivered to the representatives of the press following the visit of the mission to King George. M. De Wiart reviewed the charges against Germany in detail. "Louvain looks like a second Pompeii. Only the town hall and the city station are left standing. Aerschot, with 8,000 inhabitants, and Diest and many other unfortified villages suffered the same fate as Louvain. At Diest, a mother and her daughter of twelve were shot to death; a young man was bound to a tree and burned alive and two men were buried alive with their heads downward."

SECOND BATTLE IS RAGING

Fifth Week of War Finds Germans Fighting For Way to Paris.

London, Sept. 2.—The fifth week of the war in western Europe finds the German armies still fighting for a road to Paris. The second great battle in the western theater of the war and a battle, which promises to decide the course of that war, has been progressing for more than three days.

The fact is almost the sum total of the knowledge which Great Britain and France have of the course of mighty events.

French Aviator Circles Brussels.

London, Sept. 2.—The correspondent in Antwerp of an Amsterdam newspaper says that a new French biplane appeared over Brussels and in a hail of German bullets twice circled the town, dropping hundreds of pamphlets containing the message: "Take courage. Deliverance soon."

The aviator then made off, after giving the spectators a daring performance of the loop-the-loop.

Germans May Bombard Antwerp.

London, Sept. 2.—The Ostend correspondent of the Reuter Telegram company reports that an extensive movement of German troops toward the north has been seen from Brussels. It is believed the Germans are going to Antwerp, where an investment and bombardment are expected.

Seek to Encouraging Recruiting.

London, Sept. 2.—Premier Asquith and Arthur J. Balfour, one of the leaders of the opposition in the house of commons, are to speak in the historic Guild hall in the city of London this week in an effort to encourage recruiting. The Guild hall will be used as a recruiting station.

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HORSE SHOW PROGRAM.

Mules and Jacks at the Fair Tomorrow Morning—Herefords at the Cattle Show.

At the horse show tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock, the following is the program:

Mules and Jacks.

Ring No. 7—Best pair mules 3 years old or over, total, $45. First, $25; second, $15; third, $5. W. W. Jones & Co. also give as a premium in this ring choice of one of their celebrated Oliver riding cultivators or riding plows, valued at $35.

Ring No. 8—Best single mule 3 years old or over, total, $35. First, $20; second, $10; third, $5.

Ring No. 9—Best single 2-year-old mule or over, total, $17.50. First, $10; second, $5; third, $2.50.

Ring No. 10—Best weanling mule, total, $17.50. First, $10; second, $5; third, $2.50.

Ring No. 11—Best jack 3 years old or over, total, $50. First, $25; second, $15; third, $10.

All the above classes to be shown to halter.

At the cattle show, which also begins at 9:30, the following is the program for tomorrow:

Best bull, 3 years old or over, first $6, second $3, third $2.

Best bull 2 and under 3, first $5 second, $3, third $2.

Best bull 1 and under 2, first $5, second $3, third $2.

Best bull, under 1 year old, first $4, second $3, third $2.

Best cow, 3 years old or over, first $6, second $3, third $2.

Best heifer, 2 years old and under 3, first $5, second $3, third $2.

Best heifer, 1 year and under 2, first $5, second $3, third $2.

Best heifer under 1 year old, first $4, second $3, third $2.

Best herd consisting of one male and four females, any age, $20.

Champion bull, any age, ribbon.

Champion cow or heifer, any age, ribbon.

Guests of the Baileys.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lee and daughter, Marjorie, of Chillicothe, arrived in the city today to spend a few days, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Bailey.

Guests at Tate Home.

Mrs. Mary Arnold and daughter, Evelyn, of St. Joseph, arrived in Maryville yesterday to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Tate and family.

Married at Rest Rooms.

Jacob A. Shelman of Parnell and Pearl Garrord of Sheridan were married this morning by Judge W. L. Johnson in the rest rooms at the court house.

Stood Operation Nicely.

Word received today from Lafe Stamper states that Mrs. Stamper stood the operation nicely at the Mayo hospital at Rochester, Minn., and her chances are good for recovery.

In a preliminary hearing before United States Commissioner J. C. Hunt, yesterday, Oscar Davis of Bedford was held to the grand jury charged with having enticed Theresa Boyd of the same place to Maryville, Mo., for immoral purposes, which constitutes a violation of the white slave traffic act. The defendant was committed to the Union county jail in default of bail and will be held to await the action of the grand jury in November.—Creston American.

Just Will Not Mix.

The following is from Tuesday's St. Joseph News-Press:

James Conklin and A. R. Hiller of Maryville came to St. Joseph last night in Conklin's touring car and at once began to celebrate at the saloons. By the time they had reached Sixth and Angelique streets they were unable to operate the car and the police took them in. In police court this morning Judge Allee fined the men $5 each and warned them that whisky and gasoline are a dangerous combination.

Goes to Springfield.

Miss Helen Wray, of Springfield, who had been spending the past three weeks in Maryville visiting friends and relatives, will leave in the morning for her home. She will be accompanied by Miss Ruth Matter, who will visit at Springfield.

To Visit Brother.

Mrs. L. M. Houston of Enid, Okla., and Mrs. T. B. Chandler of Tyler, Texas, arrived in Maryville Monday to visit their brother, C. G. Coleman and family. Mr. Seleeman has been very ill for several months.

Visiting in Maryville.

Mrs. Anna McKinney and son, Frank, of Atchison, Kan., came to Maryville yesterday to spend the week attending the fair, and while here they will be guests of Mrs. M. Heffern and daughters.

To Attend Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Holmes left this morning for Clearmont to attend the meeting of the Northwest Missouri Baptist association, which meets at that place today and tomorrow.

Home to Hamburg.

Miss Ruth Heidinger of Hamburg, Ia., who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cook and family, left yesterday for her home.

Home From Hospital.

Mrs. William Key, who has been at St. Francis hospital for the past two weeks, is improved and was taken to her home today.

Visited in Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hudgens and daughter, Violet, of Quitman spent yesterday visiting friends in Maryville.

Herndon & Bishop, G. W. Swaney, C. A. McArdner, J. R. McClurg, Sherlock & Co. and William Osborn were Nodaway county patrons of Tuesday's St. Joseph stock market.

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5 & 10c TONIGHT, FERN 5 & 10c

To Go to Emporia, Kan.

B. M. Cottrill and family will leave about September 20 for Emporia, Kan., where they will make their home. Mr. Cottrill recently sold his farm, near this city, and has purchased a 240-acre farm near Emporia, and also a city residence there. They will make their home in Emporia and Floyd and Jeannette will attend the state normal school there.

LOST—Pink bag containing partly finished crochet lunch cloth. Reward for return to Democrat-Forum. 2-4

To Visit in Maryville.

Miss Beulah Mounts of Bedison arrived in Maryville today to visit during the remainder of the week with Miss Irene Carr and Miss Georgia McCormick.

Dining at Wendle Home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wendle of Arkoe entertained a large party of guests Thursday at a dinner party given in honor of a number of visiting friends and relatives. The company included Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Miller and son, Oliver, of Cameron, Mo., Mrs. Frank Beaver and daughter, Mildred, of Parsons, Kan.; Mrs. Carrie Hayward of Kansas City, Mrs. Addie Snodgrass and daughters, Doris and Mary Elizabeth of Sheridan, Wyo.; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wamsley and Mr. and Mrs. Wendle.

Guest of Miss Hollowell.

Miss Blanche Barley, of Washington, Kansas, arrived in Maryville yesterday to be the guest of her cousin, Miss Ina Hollowell, during the fair.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Free Attractions Every Day | 3 Monoplane Flights

The Fair TO-NIGHT

Be there for sure at 8:00 o'clock to see Blondin and his World's Greatest Fireworks. Acts on tight wire. His work is wonderful.

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The Pike is Fine. There are Attractions for Everyone. Meet your Friends on the Grounds

Horse Show Every Morning at 9:30
Mule Show and Shorthorn Cattle Tomorrow

25 Cents at the Gate Admits to Grandstand
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BOYS! BOYS!

TELL YOUR MOTHER AND FATHER THAT YOU WILL STUDY YOUR LESSONS LOTS BETTER IF THEY WILL COME TO OUR STORE AND BUY YOU A NEW SUIT OF CLOTHES TO WEAR TO SCHOOL.

TELL THEM THAT THEY CAN GET A GOOD SUIT FOR YOU FOR A LOW PRICE IF THEY WILL COME TO US.

TELL THEM TO COME NOW.

Berney Harris

Maryville's Only One Priced Clothier

Nodaway River Bank Full.

The Nodaway river near Clearmont is reported as bank full owing to the rains had Monday and Tuesday in that vicinity and north of there. A bridge was nearly washed out and so badly damaged that it is unsafe to travel over it. It is located west of Clearmont.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads

Guests of the Crawfords.

Glee Davidson and Miss Etta Castor of Grant City, will come to Maryville in the morning to spend Thursday and Friday, the guests of Judge and Mrs. W. H. Crawford.

Spent Day Here.

Mrs. William Hobbs of Burlington Junction was a visitor in the city today.

4% ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS

START A Bank Account

DEPOSITS OF ONE DOLLAR AND UPWARDS RECEIVED IN OUR SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

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Oldest Bank in the County

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MARYVILLE -:- -:- MISSOURI

Wray just seems to fit the case;

Rightly fills the writing place:

Friendly, 'commodatin, feller,

Couldn't suit us any weller.

Remember to Re-elect Wray Recorder. That's Reasonable

—Advertisement

MISSOURI'S POTATO PATCH.

An 87 Per Cent Crop Yields 4,402,000 Buskels From 87,000 Acres—Sell at $1.14.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 2.—The Missouri Irish potato patch contains 87,000 acres this year and the total production will be approximately 4,402,000 bushels, according to estimates made today by the United States crop reporting board. The condition of the crop is 87 per cent of normal and the price at the present time is averaging around $1.14 per bushel.

In Continental United States there are 3,708,000 acres planted to this product and this year's production is estimated at 360,614,000 bushels by the federal department of agriculture. This year's crop will exceed the average crop of the last five years by approximately 4,000,000 bushels. The nation's production last year was 231,525,000 bushels, was produced on 3,668,000 acres of land and sold for $227,902,000, or an average of 99 cents per bushel.

LETTER LIST.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville, Mo., postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, Sept. 2, 1914:

Gentlemen.

Deschauer, B.
Everts, J.
Heffman, George J.
Machusln, Dryas.
Minnis, J. F.
Otten, Charles.
Redman, Hallie.
Smith, C. P.
West, Ed F.

Ladies.

Alsup, Miss Janet.
Baum, Ella May.
Billiby, Miss Margaret.
Jones, Mrs. Sam (foreign).
Kenney, Miss Verna.
Lawler, Mrs. Evertt.
Montgomery, Miss Eva May.
Needham, Mrs. Bell.
Noble, Mrs. A. W.
Rhoades, Mrs. Ralph.
Rice, Mrs. Rose.
Smith, Mrs. Fred.
Smith, Mrs. R. M.
Wiseman, Miss Verna and Gladys.

Persons calling for the above named letters will please say "advertised."

JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—1,500. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 4,000.
Hogs—2,000. Market 5 and 10c lower. Estimate tomorrow, 16,000.
Sheep—30,000. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—600. Market steady.
Hogs—7,000. Market 5c higher; top, $9.35.
Sheep—3,000. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—12,000. Market steady.
Hogs—7,000. Market 5c higher; top, $9.35.
Sheep—1,000. Market steady.

Mother's pies, grandmother's doughnuts and everything else that is good at the Federation lunch stand at the county fair.

Does Your Watch, Clock or Jewelry Need Repairing?

All Work Guaranteed
Prices Reasonable
CRANE'S
We Regulate Your Watch Free

Notice to The Public

During the Fair We will be prepared to take in

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At our Booth in Floral Hall

DeHart & Holmes

Maryville's Live Jewelers

SOCIETY AND CLUBLAND

KATE SCHENCK

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While a surpliced choir sang "America," the ground was broken Saturday at the Panama-Pacific exposition grounds in San Francisco for the building of the Young Women's Christian association. The site was strewn with cut flowers and the ceremonial, which was an unusually pretty one, was in charge of the young women of the San Francisco association. Among the speakers was Miss Helen Alling Davis, secretary of the national Y. W. C. A. board.

Royal Neighbors to Meet.

The Royal Neighbors will hold their regular meeting at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon in the Modern Woodmen hall.

Mrs. Guthrie Hostess.

The Herron Home-Making Circle is being entertained this afternoon at the country home of Mrs. Virgil Guthrie northwest of the city.

Society Meet Postponed.

The Women's Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist church has postponed its meeting for this week until Thursday afternoon of next week.

Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Luton and son of St. Joseph were the complimentary guests of a dinner given last night by Mr. and Mrs. John Z. Curnutt and family.

Miss Wells' House Party.

Miss Ethel Wells will entertain with a house party during the remainder of the week. Her guests will be Miss Lela Caudle of Parnell, Miss Nelle Enochs of Darlington, Miss Mabel Merrigan of Clyde and Misses Vera and Golden Wells of Ravenwood.

Party of Newly Weds.

Miss Edith Jones of Pickering returned to her home at noon today, after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Jones, west of Maryville. Miss Jones came to attend a party given by Mr. and Mrs. Jones last night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. William Jones of Ford, Kan., who are spending their honeymoon with relatives here.

For Miss Heidinger.

In honor of their guest, Miss Ruth Heidinger of Hamburg, Ia., Mrs. Paul Cook and daughters entertained a number of guests Monday evening at the Cook home. Those present beside the honor guest were Miss Dorothy McDonald, Miss Leska Wray, Miss Velma Farnan, Miss Faye Farmer, Harry Jones, Frank Cook, Dedrick Coleman, Kay Hempstead and Raymond Cook.

Potts-Summers.

Miss Phena Potts, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Potts of Guilford, and Clarence T. Summers of Stanberry were married this afternoon at the parsonage of the Buchanan Street Methodist church by the pastor, Rev. J. D. Randolph. The ceremony was witnessed by the bride's parents. Rev. Randolph was in St. Joseph attending the annual conference session and made a special trip home to perform the ceremony, returning to St. Joseph on the afternoon train.

Society Year Book.

"Another Year of Service" prefaces the new year book issued this week by the Women's Missionary society of the First Baptist church. The meetings are to be held the first Friday in each month, beginning in September with Mrs. William Everhart as hostess. The October meeting will be a tea given at the residence of Mrs. G. B. Holmes. The Thanksgiving spirit will prevail at the November session, held with Mrs. Henry Eckert, and the December tea is to be held at the Maryville Conservatory studio, with Prof. P. O. Landon as host. This meeting will also be a musicale. Mrs. J. M. Ringgold is hostess to the January meeting, and the February afternoon, which is a social one, is to be held with Mrs. W. A. Burris. One of the most interesting meetings of the year is in March, at the home of Mrs. Mary Landon, when state missions are to be studied. The April tea is at the home of Mrs. James Cook, the May number with Mrs. Samuel Hutchison, and another social meeting held on June 4, at which a study program is also given, will be at the home of Mrs. Omar Catterson. In July the last formal meeting of the year is held at the country home of Mrs. Eugene Ogden. In August the annual luncheon and business meeting takes place, with the election of officers and plans for the coming year. The officers for this year are Mrs. Alex Fraser, president; Mrs. W. A. Burris, first vice president; Mrs. Clark Andrews, second vice president; Mrs. G. B. Holmes, third vice president; Mrs. Bruce Montgomery, secretary; Mrs. G. W. Hempstead, treasurer; Mrs. James Cook, collector; Mrs. H. L. Raines, pianist; Mrs. William Everhart, chorister; Mrs. Omer Catterson, librarian; Mrs. W. A. Bailey, flower committee.

Mrs. Whedbee Here.

Mrs. John Whedbee of Carthage, Mo., is a guest today and will be for several days of Mr. and Mrs. Walton Frank. Mrs. Whedbee arrived in the city a few days ago and will spend several weeks visiting the Franks, Mrs. W. T. Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Roseberry and other old friends in the city.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank all our friends and neighbors for their kindness to us during the illness and death of our husband and father. We also wish to express our thanks for the many floral offerings.—Mrs. James Shrubshall, Mr. and Mrs. Will Butler and family, Mr. and Mrs. Will Worden and family, Florence Shrubshall, Walter Shrubshall.

Kodaks and supplies at Crane's.

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Alderman-Yehle

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co. West Third Street.

Store News

No. 87. Maryville, Mo. Wednesday, September 2, 1914.

New Autumn Goods

Do you realize that the first month of autumn is here? We are receiving new goods every day—and you will find everything here that you will possibly want for your new autumn wardrobe. An early visit will insure you a wider selection.

New Dress Goods

If you have not seen our line of new Autumn Dress Goods, let us ask you to come in at once and inspect them.

Among the many new weaves are the ever popular Broadcloths, Diagonal Cheviots, Gaberdine, Cheviot Poplins, Serges and Worsted Crepes.

The popular colorings are Black, Navy, French Blue, Pete de Negra, Russian Green, Fancy Plaids and Stripes.

These vary in width from 36-inches to 60-inches, prices from **50c to $2.50 the yard**

NEW SILKS

Never were we in better position to supply your wants in the Silk Department, as we have a complete assortment of all the new weaves and colorings.

The leading weaves are Baroness Poplin, Taffetas, Crepes and Messalines.

The colorings are varied, being in Pigeon Blue, Navy, Severis Blue, Pete de Negra, Russian Green and Black. Both in plain and fancy patterns.

Prices **50c to $2.50.**

HAZEL FARRIS AT THE MARYVILLE FAIR.

FOR SALE

80 Acres 6 miles of Maryville $6,000.00 Mortgage 5 per cent, 9 years to run, price $105.00 per acre. We have several farms ranging from 40 to 300 acres we can sell on small payments. If you have Farm or City Property to exchange Come in and see us.

The Peters Land Company

222½ North Main Maryville, Missouri

A Sad Advancement.

What a time of tragedy it is in the lives of children when they reach the stage where they must first be captured and held in leash before submitting to the torture of having their faces washed! Finally the drop of water wears the stone away, the boy's manly spirit is broken and he goes tamely to the bath room, a sacrifice to civilization before each meal. At about the same age a girl makes the equally tragic discovery that the cuticle of one's finger nails is not supposed to spread entirely over one's hands. Thus she takes her first conscious and timid steps on the long road of feminine preservation and appraisement.—Los Angeles Times.

Home From Omaha.

Miss Rebecca Gray has returned from Omaha, where she had been for some time with her sister, Mrs. John Swearengin, who has been ill with blood poisoning. Mrs. Swearengin is greatly improved.

To Go to Chicago.

Mrs. Emma Cloud of Kansas City, who has been visiting a few days in the city with her daughters, Misses Viva and Marie Cloud, left today for Chicago, where she has a position with the Hillman Millinery company.

Home From St. Louis.

Berney Harris returned yesterday from St. Louis, where he was called by the death of Mrs. Harris' father, Ben Scharff. Mrs. Harris and daughter will remain longer in St. Louis.

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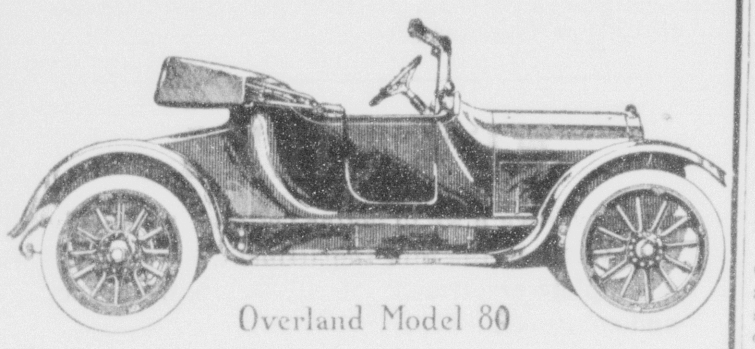

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CLAIM DEFEAT OF RUSSIANS

Germans Crush Czar's Forces at Allenstein.

TAKE 70,000 PRISONERS.

Two Commanding Generals Asserted to Be Among Captives of Victorious Teutons—Russian Artillery Said to Be Complete Loss.

Washington, Sept. 2.—Official advices received through diplomatic channels reported two of the most important developments of the present war.

The German embassy gave out a message from Berlin, received by wireless via Sayville, L. I., claiming that the German forces had captured near Allenstein 70,000 Russian prisoners, including two commanding generals and the entire equipment of Russian artillery.

See Turk Against Them.

Great Britain asked the United States to be prepared to care for British diplomatic interests in Turkey, indicating that the allies had practically lost hope of persuading the Ottoman empire to remain neutral.

Dispatches received at the British embassy referred to the incorporation in the Turkish army of several German officers, which was regarded as the forerunner of intervention by the porte in behalf of Germany.

Means Italy With Allies.

Turkey's entrance in the conflict means the alignment of Italy as well as Greece on the side of Great Britain, France, Russia, Servia, Montenegro and Roumania, diplomats here believe. Just what the attitude of Bulgaria will be is a matter of uncertainty, though the Turkish ambassador here gave out a statement speaking of the community of interests of Bulgaria and Turkey.

The Turkish situation was watched with deepest concern by diplomats because of the imminence of a general war in the Balkans and extension of the war drama to all of eastern Europe.

The official statement of the big German victory against the Russians attracted wide attention. Military observers pointed out that if the number of Russians taken prisoners had been correctly estimated at 70,000, there must have been great casualties. No mention of this was made.

U. S. HAS RIGHT TO BUY SHIPS

Hearings on House Merchant Marine Bill Concluded.

Washington, Sept. 2.—The right of the United States to buy merchant ships of any nationality for neutral uses cannot be disputed by any nation, declared Secretary McAdoo of the treasury department before the house merchant marine committee, supporting the administration merchant marine bill.

Mr. McAdoo refused, however, to discuss the diplomatic phases of the situation when asked if protests had been received from Great Britain or France against the possible government purchase of German vessels.

Hearings on the bill were concluded and it will be taken up today for immediate committee action. An early report to the house is expected.

Russians Regret Samsonoff Deeply.

London, Sept. 2.—A telegram from St. Petersburg says:

"Lieutenant General Samsonoff, who commanded a corps in the Russo-Japanese war, and until recently chief of the Russian Turkestan military district, is deeply regretted."

The foregoing would seem to indicate that General Samsonoff had died, although no report of his death has been received here.

Canadians to Bermuda.

Halifax, Sept. 2.—Eight hundred British regulars will be withdrawn from service in Bermuda and replaced by an equal number of Canadian volunteers. Later the Canadians may also be sent to the front in Europe. The Duke of Connaught, governor general of Canada, so announced in reviewing the Royal Canadian regiment, which has been selected for service in Bermuda.

Britons Put Ban on Export of Jam.

Washington, Sept. 2.—War on the continent and mobilization in England will not be allowed to affect the British breakfast. Ambassador Page at London reported to the state department that exportations of jam and marmalade, an essential part of the British breakfast, had been forbidden by English authorities.

Rounding Up Reservists.

Cape Town, Sept. 2.—The process of rounding up Austrian and German reservists from the different parts of the Union of South Africa and holding them as prisoners of war has been proceeding for a fortnight. Some 8,000 are now detained in a special camp at Johannesburg.

France Calls Last of Its Reserves.

Paris, Sept. 2.—Official announcement was made to the effect that the minister of war has decided to call out immediately all the reservists in the country who have not been previously summoned to the colors.

WILCOX ITEMS.

(By Van Yardley.)

A car driven by Ed Moore skidded into a ditch while going down the Kidman hill, one and a half miles north of Wilcox. There were two men in the car and both were bruised and scratched. The damage to the car was a broken wind shield, a lamp broken and a side mashed in. Outside of that there was no damage done. The car was pulled out of the ditch Sunday morning and driven to Clearmont.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lynn of St. Joseph spent Sunday at Fred Haller's.

Misses Hazel and Maud McCombs entertained the young people's class of the M. E. church Saturday night. All roll calls were responded to with Bible quotations. After the business session a social hour was enjoyed. The class will meet in two weeks at the Jenson home.

Mrs. B. K. Ferguson entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Brice Hall and family, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Moore and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hainline, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ferguson.

Miss Dora Smith left Sunday for Sheridan, where she will teach the coming term of school.

Ora Yardley of Greeley Center, Neb., spent Saturday night and Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bebout.

MAPLE LAWN NOTES.

(Bessie Vail.)

Lee McCord and family of Coin, Ia., came down Friday evening to visit Mrs. McCord's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Snodderly. Miss Ruby Snodderly accompanied them home for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Harry Vail is sick.

Most every one in this vicinity attended the fair at Clarinda last Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Neal of Clearmont spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. A. P. Swaney.

James Milbank and family and Miss St. Clair, G. W. Snodderly, wife and son, and Mr. and Mrs. William Watson were Sunday evening callers at the Vail home.

Herman Vail spent Saturday night with Elbert Sloan.

Safety First Society.

Here is what the card says:

MOTORISTS
Carefulness First
Means
Safety Always

1. Be Considerate
2. Go Slow
   - Passing Children
   - Passing Vehicles
   - Around Corners
   - Approaching Crossings
3. Stop
   - At Railroad Crossings
   - Behind Street Cars Taking on or Discharging Passengers
4. Use Tire Chains on Wet and Slippery Pavements

Better Be Safe Than Sorry

D. C. Moore spent the day yesterday on a business visit in Elmo.

Knox Garage
Auto Livery

Makes private calls for all trains at all times.

CAREFUL DRIVERS
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If You Must Leave Nodaway County to Buy Land Come Let Us Tell You About This

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Terms one-fourth cash, balance in 6 years at 6 per cent.

SEE
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Excursion to this land every first and third Tuesday of each month. Come and go with us.

Uneeda Biscuit

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$1,500 to loan. R. L. McDougal. 28-3

See Glover & Alexander for your winter's coal and hay. 36-tf

FOR RENT—Rooms at 215 South Market street. 2-6.

GET your Shorthorn seed now. They are ready to wean. Byron Croy. 31-2

WANTED—Roomers, either men or women. 204 South Vine. Farmer's phone, 174-11. 2-4.

LOST—Brass hub cap off fire wagon. Finder return to city hall. 1-3

FOR SALE—Two extra good milk cows. Call Hanamo 5711 or Farmers 43-12. 27-tf

IT'S CLEAN-UP TIME—See D Becker for cleaning and pressing. The Clothes Doctor, at 209½ North Main.

WANTED—A good 5 or 6-room house. Ed Brewer, at Democrat-Forum. 1-3

WANTED—Man and wife to keep house; middle aged couple preferred. Inquire John C. Looker, phone 576. 31-2

STRAYED—1 bay mare with wire cut on right front foot, white spot on back, weight about 1,000 pounds. Call at this office. 2-4

WANTED—Experienced man to work by the month on farm. Inquire at this office. 2-4

STRAYED—From Westlawn farm, one Shorthorn red heifer calf, 2 months old. Reward for return or information leading to recovery. Call Hanamo 51. H. H. Bellows.

FOR SALE—Poland-China male and female pigs for breeding. Also registered sow and nine June pigs and Jersey male calf, splendid individual. N. Sisson. See Alfred C. Allen, colored, at end West Third street, 228 Grand avenue, Maryville. 12tf.

Fresh Cut Roses

White, Pink and Yellow $1.00 and $1.25 per dozen; Lily of the Valley 75c per dozen; Asters 75c per dozen, Gladiolus $1.00 and $1.50 per dozen, Snap dragon 50c per dozen. Our leading specialty at all seasons of the year is fresh cut flowers in appropriate arrangements for any occasion and we also see that each order whether given us personally or by mail or phone is carefully packed and promptly delivered.

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